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TO AMEMBASSY LAGOS IMMEDIATE
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JOHANNESBURG FOR USIS

E.O.11652: N/A

TAGS: SF, CVIS (GRANT, ROBERTSON)
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR VISA

REFERENCE: A: LAGOS 8276
B: STATE A-9375, 12/24/74

1. IF R. GRANT PLANS VISIT WINDHOEK TO COVER NAMIBIA
TALKS, EMBASSY REQUESTS ASSURANCE SUCH A VISIT
HAS WASHINGTON CLEARANCE IN VIEW OF POLICY RESTRICTING
VISITS OF US OFFICIALS TO TERRITORY.

2. SAG ISSUES AIRPORT VISAS ONLY REPEAT ONLY FOR
EMERGENCY CASES. VISAS NORMALLY SHOULD BE OBTAINED BY
FOLLOWING PROCEDURES OUTLINED REF B. DEPARTMENT OF
FOREIGN AFFAIRS (DFA) HAS INFORMED US THAT IF
GRANT ARRIVES AT AIRPORT WITH COMPLETED VISA APPLICATION
AND TWO PHOTOGRAPHS, IT IS UP TO DISCRETION OF PASSPORT
CONTROL OFFICER TO PERMIT ENTRY. IF ENTRY DENIED, GRANT
WILL BE REQUIRED TO REMAIN IN TRANSIT AREA (IN WHICH
COMFORTABLE HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS AVAILABLE) UNTIL SEPT 2
WHEN EMBASSY WILL COLLECT DOCUMENTS AND SUBMIT TO DFA FOR
ISSUANCE VISA SAME DAY.

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3. IN VIEW STRONG DOUBT THAT VISA WILL BE ISSUED UPON
ARRIVAL, AND FACT HOLIDAY INN NEAR AIRPORT NOW FULLY
BOOKED FOR NIGHT OF SEPT 1, EMBASSY SUGGESTS GRANT PLAN
ON REMAINING IN TRANSIT AREA. IN ANY CASE, GRANT
SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT PROCEED WINDHOEK BEFORE SEEING
PAO PETERSON IN PRETORIA.
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